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In re PATENT Application of: Confirmation No.: Unassigned
Hindrik Willem DE VRIES et al. Attorney Docket: 2602-0011
Appl. S.N.: New U.S. National Stage Application Group Art Unit: Unassigned
Filing Date: Herewith Examiner: Unassigned
Title: **METHOD OF AND ARRANGEMENT FOR**
REMOVING CONTAMINANTS FROM A
SUBSTRATE SURFACE USING AN
ATMOSPHERIC PRESSURE GLOW
PLASMA Date: June 21, 2006

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.